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<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES</b>		<b>Docket Number (Optional)</b> SONYSH 3.0-1257	
In re Application of Yasumasa Mizushima, Masami Kinugasa, Zenta Watanabe, Masakatsu Mori, Fumio Koyama, Nobuaki Katsuya, Koji Hagioda, Haruyo Endo, and Yukihiro Fukuta			
Application Number 10/008,443-Conf. #5171		Filed December 3, 2001	
For APPARATUS, METHOD, NETWORK SYSTEM, RECORDING MEDIUM AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR PROCESSING TRANSMITTED INFORMATION			
Art Unit 2143		Examiner J. E. Avellino	

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1))

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I am the

☐ applicant /inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.  
See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b)  
is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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